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Applicants: Dwight Sunada et al.

Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR FINDING THE LONGEST MATCHING  
PREFIX IN A ROUTER

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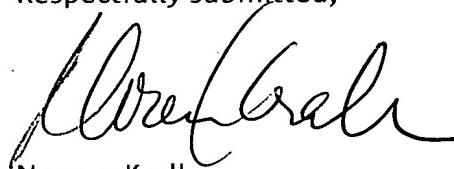
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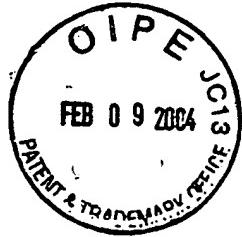
Applicant through its undersigned counsel, hereby requests that the enclosed replacement pages be entered into and be made a part of the record of the above-identified application. Please find description pages 1-15, 8 pages of claims and 1 page of abstract. Also included 6 pages of formal figures

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, including any extension fees which may be required or credit any overpayment directly to the account of the undersigned, No. 19-4974.

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In response to the office action mailed January 9, 2004, Applicant elects **Invention I** for examination.

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